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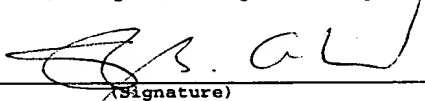
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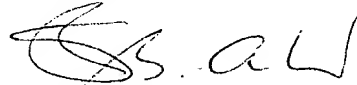
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Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2004 for five(5) months from January 1, 2005 to May 31, 2005. An Amendment responding to the aforesaid Office Action is being filed concurrently herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,



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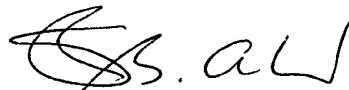
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